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FM AMEMBASSY HELSINKI

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 9563

INFO AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA

AMCONSUL CAPETOWN

AMEMBASSY COPENHAGEN

AMEMBASSY DAR ES SALAAM

AMEMBASSY KINSHASA

AMEMBASSY LISBON

AMEMBASSY LOURENCO MARQUES

AMEMBASSY LUSAKA

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SUBJECT: MPLA MEETINGS WITH FINNISH GOVERNMENT

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1. IN ADDITION TO PARTICIPATING IN PROPAGANDA EXERCISES  
MOUNTED BY WORLD PEACE COUNCIL AND FINNISH PEACE DEFENDERS  
(REFTELS), VISITING MPLA DELEGATION LED BY "FOREIGN MINISTER"

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JOSE EDUARDO DOS SANTOS, MET WITH FINNISH PRIME MINISTER

MIETTUNEN AND FOREIGN MINISTER SORSA DURING STAY IN  
HELSINKI. MPLA GROUP ALSO HAD FORMAL MEETING WITH LEADER-  
SHIP OF FINNISH COMMUNIST PARTY.

2. MEETING WITH MIETTUNEN TOOK PLACE JANUARY 19.  
ONLY PRESS REPORT WAS IN SUOMENMAA, THE HELSINKI ORGAN  
OF MIETTUNEN'S CENTER PARTY. PAPER CARRIED PHOTO AND  
CAPTION THAT DOS SANTOS AND COLLEAGUES HAVE EXPLAINED  
THE PRESENT SITUATION IN ANGOLA.

3. JANUARY 20 MEETING WITH SORSA TOOK PLACE IN  
PARLIAMENT BUILDING WHERE MP'S ARE THIS WEEK DEBATING  
AND VOTING ON 1976 BUDGET. IT LASTED ONE HOUR BUT  
WAS NOT MENTIONED AT ALL IN PRESS TODAY (JAN 21).  
AIDE TO SORSA TOLD EMBASSY SORSA RECEIVED DOS SANTOS  
IN CAPACITY AS FOREIGN MINISTER OF MOVEMENT WITH  
WHICH FINNS HAVE HAD RELATIONS IN PAST AND WHICH  
BOTH FINNISH GOVERNMENT AND SORSA'S SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC  
PARTY HAVE ASSISTED.

4. YESTERDAY'S PRESS REPORTS GAVE COMPLETE LIST OF  
MPLA DELEGATION WHICH NUMBERED FIVE INCLUDING MPLA'S  
CHIEF REPRESENTATIVE IN SCANDINAVIA MARIA DE JESUS  
HALLER. OTHERS, IN ADDITION TO DOS SANTOS WERE:  
PRESIDIUM SECRETARY ALFONSO VAN-DUEN; CENTRAL COMMITTEE  
MEMBER AMBROISE LUKOKI; AND ROVING AMBASSADOR PASCAL  
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